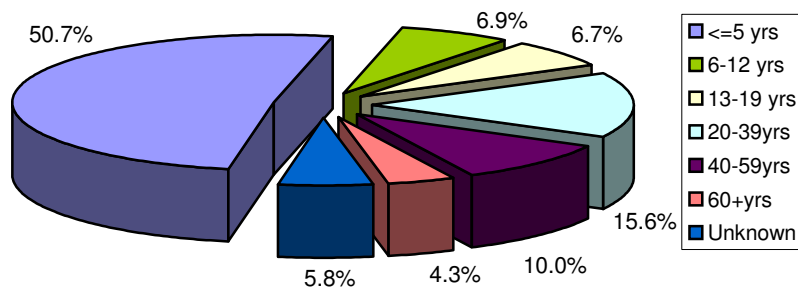


<u>Georgia Poison Center Summary Statistics</u>					
	<u>2003</u>		<u>2004</u>		<u>Year-to-Year % Change</u>
Exposure Calls*	87071	82.0%	92767	82.4%	6.54%
Information Requests	19109	18.0%	19846	17.6%	3.86%
Total Incoming Calls	106180	--	112613	--	6.06%
Follow-up Calls	29304	21.6%	37091	24.8%	26.57%
Total Call Volume	135484	--	149704	--	10.50%
Exposure Cases*					
Human	82354	91.2%	87828	90.6%	6.65%
Animal	7983	8.8%	9121	9.4%	14.26%
	90337	--	96949	--	7.32%
Note: *Multiple cases may be reported in a single call					

**Age of Human Exposures - 2004
(N=87,828)**



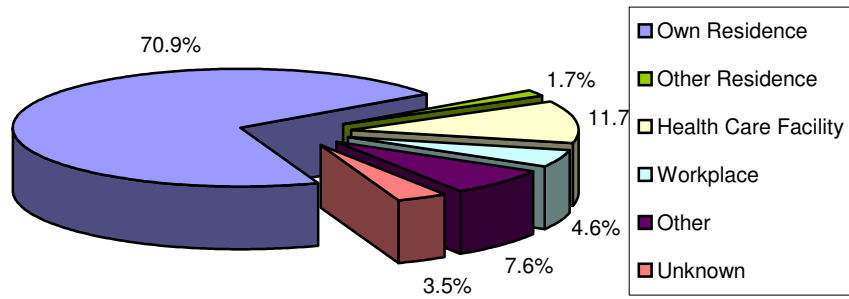
Children <= 5 yrs

0-11 months (6.2%)

12-23 months (16.4%)

2 <= 5 yrs (28.1%)

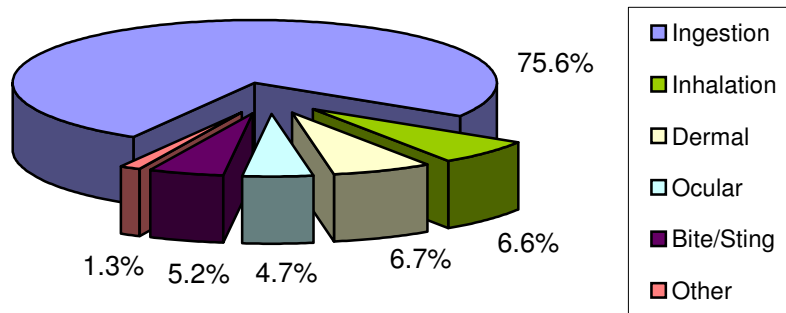
Total Call Volume by Caller - 2004 (N=112,613)



Other Caller Sites

School (0.6%)
Public Area (0.3%)
Other (6.7%)

Human Exposures: Exposure Routes - 2004



Top Ten Most Frequent Drug Exposures - 2004

1. Analgesics
2. Cold & Cough Preparations
3. Sedatives/Anti-Anxiety/Anti-Psychotics
4. Topicals
5. Antidepressants
6. Antihistamines
7. Antimicrobials
8. Cardiovascular Drugs
9. Gastrointestinal Preparations
10. Stimulants & Street Drugs

Note: Despite the high frequency of involvement, these substances are not necessarily the most toxic, but rather may be the most readily accessible.

Top Ten Most Frequent Non-Drug Exposures - 2004

1. Cleaning Substances--Household
2. Cosmetics and Personal Care Products
3. Bites/Stings/Envenomations
4. Foreign Bodies/Toys/Coins/etc.
5. Insecticides/Pesticides
6. Plants
7. Alcohols
8. Food Poisoning
9. Hydrocarbons
10. Vitamins

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